

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please delete the original claims 1-20 and insert therefor new claims 21-32 as follows:

21. (New) A method of monitoring termite activity utilizing a monitor comprising a foldable polymeric base and integrally formed opaque flap, said base supporting a transparent wafer case which covers the wafer and contains a cellulose block by a PMP for a building, comprising the steps of:
  - (a) contacting a building owner;
  - (b) inspecting and determining if the building can qualify for an assurance protection program;
  - (c) recommending corrective measures for conditions conducive to termite activity for the building;
  - (d) contracting with the building owner;
  - (e) defining a termiticide treatment zone on the ground surrounding the outside of the building and extending approximately 15 cm therefrom;
  - (f) placing a series of monitors on the ground surface in the termiticide zone;
  - (g) lifting the monitor flaps while the monitors remain on the ground surface to observe

- termite activity within the wafer cases;
- (h) closing the flaps after observation; and
- (i) determining action to be taken subsequent to observing termite activity within the monitors.

22. (New) The method of claim 21 wherein placing monitors comprises the step of placing monitors within the termiticide zone at approximately 12 meter intervals.

23. (New) The method of claim 21 wherein placing termite monitors comprises the step of placing monitors each having a planar base defining feeding ports and a wafer, positioned on the base.

24. (New) The method of claim 21 wherein contacting a building owner comprises the step of ascertaining a history of the building.

25. (New) The method of claim 21 wherein inspecting the building comprises the step of inspecting the building foundation and structural elements thereof.

26. (New) The method of claim 21 wherein placing a series of monitors comprises the step of placing monitors within approximately 15 cm of the building.

27. (New) The method of claim 21 wherein lifting the

flaps comprises the step of observing the wafer through the transparent wafer case.

28. (New) A method of monitoring termite activity utilizing a monitor comprising a foldable polymeric base and integrally formed opaque flap, said base supporting a transparent wafer case which covers the wafer and contains a cellulose block by a PMP for a building, comprising the steps of:

- (a) contacting a building owner;
- (b) inspecting and determining if the building can qualify for an assurance protection program;
- (c) recommending corrective measures for conditions conducive to termite activity for the building;
- (d) contracting with the building owner;
- (e) defining a termiticide treatment zone on the ground surrounding the outside of the building and extending approximately 15 cm therefrom;
- (f) placing a series of monitors on the ground surface in the termiticide zone spaced from the building;
- (g) lifting the monitor flaps while the monitors remain on the ground surface to observe termite activity within the wafer cases;
- (h) closing the flaps after observation; and

- (i) determining action to be taken subsequent to observing termite activity within the monitors.

29. (New) The method of claim 28 wherein placing monitors comprises the step of placing monitors within the termiticide zone at approximately 12 meter intervals.

30. (New) The method of claim 28 wherein placing termite monitors comprises the step of placing monitors each having a planar base defining feeding ports and a wafer positioned on the base.

31. (New) The method of claim 28 wherein contacting a building owner comprises the step of ascertaining a history of the building.

32. (New) The method of claim 28 wherein placing a series of monitors comprises the step of placing monitors within approximately 15 cm of the building.